In Clubs of Four

understood.'

palities. That the Social-Democrats when they came into

Well understood? Yes, everywhere excepting in Amer-

where goods will be produced for the market; the cooperative form in which the products will be for use and

also for sale; and the purely Socialistic, where the gov-

ernment will carry on production for use only, and the

On the contrary, in the trust system, capitalism has

just stepped into a new phase, the duration of which is

Of course, from a civilizing force, capitalism has al-

ready become a menace to civilization. But that does not

affect its vitality! However, the tendencies which oppose

it have now gathered such great strength that a thorough

change-must not indeed-but can take place, if the

In conclusion, let me say that the world's history is

slways made by men, and is not a mere natural process

unlimited according to our present light.

working class understands its mission.

production will not take the form of wares at all.

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FURRENT **SEOMMENT**

BY PREDERIC HEATH.

Mexico now has a Socialist weekly paper, El. Socialista. The world moves.

Minnesota Socialists have nominated the Rev. David Morgan of St. Psulor governor. Another attack on the thurch!

Third Term Teddy! How unsur-prising it sounds! Washington served bits country by setting a good example— but then Washington was a man.

Are you doing your best for the ause of Socialism? The elections are coming on, when people are most ready to listen to us. Are you doing your best?

By a vote of 43 to 6 the national littee of the party has decid that anyone favoring direct action lactics cannot serve as a lecturer or organizer for the party.

It is only when labor, goaded to desperation, revolts, that the true horror of American wage slavery stands revealed. Lawrence tells the story, not only for Lawrence, but for the many Lawrences sil over the country.

A Socialist has been elected to the national parliament of New Zealand, and this in spite of the fact that the Liberal government has passed many laws of a very radical nature. The labor, Socialist and independent members now hold the balance of power.

The provincial elections in British Columbia, which will take place next month will give the world its next big Socialist surprise, according to all the evidences. The miners have already evidences. The minera have already arranged an assessment for a contribu-tion to the campaign fund.

The Lawrence strike shows what the state militia is for, all right. No matter what capitalism pretends, it is actions that count. The state militia system, the so-called National Guard, is maintained for the purpose of suppressing labor troubles.

Remarkable news comes from the British Columbia labor movement. In the convention of the Federation of Labor just held the Socialist strength was so overwhelming that the capitalist press gauged it as 85 per cent. On a test vote only two delegates voted in opposition to Socialism.

A half way fair article on "The Rising Tide of Socialism" appears in Third Term Teddy's Outlook magazine for February. The author asked Con-gressman Berger, if the growth of Socialism was not due to local condi-tions, and reports the reply as "Yes, due to conditions local to the United

Buckley, Wash., has just elected a Socialist alderman. The corurade elected was J. E. James, who polled 116 votes, according to information forwarded by David Howes. The race was close, as can be seen from the fact that the two Socialists who falled of election had, respectively, 110 and 108 votes in their wards.

they got about all they wanted of the their kind of government. It was fearfully expensive, both morally and financially.

Roosevelt's "by and for the people" of that dependency granting the right of divorce. Wise statesmanhip. No divorce, indeed! So the woman who finit the same as the Socialista. The thirdtermiger is thinking of a different class of people when he says it. Some people get the idea that politics is a thing simply set up to provide jobs for politicians. On the contrary it is the people a means, of saying how their rountry shall be governed. If we have rotten government it simply shows that majority have con



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SOCIALISM, THE NEXT EPOCH OF SOCIETY - By Victor L. Berger

The management of the co-operative workingmen's asso-

clation of the future will find out what the demand is

and determine the amount and method of the production.

During the transition period the sale of products may

take place exactly as at present, only subject to regula-

In the trusts, the capitalist class even now plays the

Indeed, in the trusts the capitalist class is already ex-

The smaller investors, who are the great majority, no

longer have anything to control, and only draw their pro-

fits. Their industries are apparently the property of the

shareholders; but what sort of property is that of which

one has not the free disposal? They can no longer pro-

duce what they will, nor at what price they will, nor with what workmen they will; all is prescribed to them

by the management of the trust. Properly speaking, they

The trusts are ready now for a change of ownership.

But Wisconsin has been fiercely criticized for a provi-

sion in its platform to have the nation "buy out" the

trusts and pay the net value. And yet Karl Kantsky,

Emil Vandervelde, William Liebknecht, and even Karl

Engels wrote a 1894, "We do not consider the in-

demnity of the proprietors as an impossibility whatever

may he the circumstances. How many times has not

Karl Marx expressed to me the opinion that if we could

buy up the whole crowd, it would really be the cheapest

Vanderveide says: "There is no doubt that the expro-

priation without indemnity with the resistance, the trou-

bles, the bloody disturbances which it would not fail to

In discussing the question of compensation, Karl

"There are a number of reasons which indicate that a proletarian regime will seek the road of compensation

In another place (on page 113) Kautsky says: "A por-

tion of the factories, mines, etc., could be sold directly to

the laborers who are working them, and could be hence-

forth operated co-operatively; another portion could be

sold to the co-operatives of distribution, and still another-

"It is clear, however, that capital would find its most."

extensive and generous purchaser in the state or municipalities, and for this very reason the majority of indus-

Kautsky, the most radical theorist of the German Social-

tion by the state.

most superfluous role in the world.

propriated to a certain extent.

are only profit-receivers.

Marx, speak of compensation.

Democracy, says:

way of relieving ourselves of them."

produce, would be in the end most costiy."

and payment of the capitalists and land owners."

to the communities or the states.

the next epoch, if our civilization is to continue.

We must not expect that the Socialist era will come at one stroke. Neither capitalism nor feudalism arose "at a certain date," nor can the Socialist form of society have its beginning on any fixed day.

Besides, although capitalistic society has already passed its zenith, yet even at the present day feudalism holds a very important place in modern society. This is the case not only in Germany, in spite of its high economic development, but also in England, the "classic land" of capitalism.

Just so with any revolution.

Capitalism will not vanish in one day, in one year, or in one decade. Even after the triumph of the working class the commonwealth connect take upon itself all kinds of production

Many industries today are not concentrated, and therefore are not ripe for collective production.

However, the trusts are now showing the Social-Democrats how they must do it, only the Socialists will have to do it from a Socialist standpoint and for the benefit of all the people.

But it is not necessary nor possible that all industries should be immediately taken over by the Socialist govern-

Every branch of production controlled by a trust, as well as all industries which could be conducted on a similar scale, besides railways, telegraphs, mines, etc., will of course become collective public property and will be managed by the national government.

But there is a whole class of industries (for instance farming) which are not yet ready to be worked on this large scale, or which are liable to be decentralized by the technical perfection of the methods of transmitting power. Many small industries have again become possible on account of the transmission of electric power. These without any objection can remain in private hands. I refer to certain petty industries, as well as to agricul-

In other cases, the Socialist society can give the opportunity for the formation of co-operative associations. which together with the model industries conducted by the state, will raise the level of the working class to a degree hardly credible at the present time.

The chief reason why workingmen's co-operative associations have been impossible hitherto, has even now been partly removed by the trusts, and of course will be of still less account at the rise of the political power of the proletariat.

The trusts show how a regulated business can be done.

The proposed selection of Indianapolls for the Socialist convention,
instead of Oklahoms City, doesn't
meet with universal approval, either.
A number of letters have reached this
officeopposing Indianapolison the ground
that it is the scene of the dynamite
lavestigations, and capitalism would
take great delight in trying to make mappear sympathetic to McNamaraism.

When you stop to think of it, it is
a remarkable thing this thing of Milwaukse being governed by the common folks. Some years ago the people
would have hardly thought it possible,
for they did not have the falth in the
plaip folks that they have today. But
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WASHINGTON News Notes

control would strive consciously for this solution is well WASHINGTON, Feb. 29 .-- Loth president and the congress were forced to take official notice of the outrages at Lawrence, by Socialist representa-tive Berger today. As a result of a call tive Berger today. As a result of a call at the White House by Berger, Prost-dent Taft has ordered Attorney General Of course, all industries of national magnitude would be carried on by the government. For smaller industries, Wickersham to instruct the district attorney at Lawrence to investigate

wherever necessary, the government could make some agreement with the co-operative associations of workers. We speak of the transition period.

In this transition period, the Socialist government can of course lend the necessary capital to the co-operative substing of the Lawrence strikers and their wives and children. Taft seemed shocked at the accounts, and expressed surprise that such an occurrence should have taken place. Berger pointed out have taken place. Berger pointed out to the president that the Sun was not ment in this transition period will have at its disposal quite different powers than at present. For instance, it discussed with Berger as to the prowi! have a monopoly of all water power, coal mines, railroads, rivers, electrical plants, etc. federal government could take action but Taft decided to postpone his de-So perhaps for a time a state of affairs may arise which will combine at the same time three forms of production. That is, the capitalistic form in petty industries,

Later in the day be notified Bergee

that the department of justice would investigate the Lawrence situation. Chairman Henry of the rules committee has promised Berger that his com-mittee would this week hold a hearing on the resolution introduced by the Socialist representative providing for a special congressional investigation of That all this will take place peacefully, we do not maintain. It will surely not come peacefully if the people are not armed. It will come peacefully if the people will be armed. Riots and bloods heds are not at all desirable, nor will they help civilization.

Besides, I do not believe that one great revolution can turn topsy-turvy the whole civilized world, and undo or make superfluous any economic development as outlined here.

Capitalism was necessary to give mankind dominion over the forces of nature, which is now assured by our scientific attainments. Considered in itself, capitalism has by no means reached that stage of development where it becomes impossible.

On the contrary, in the trust system, capitalism has

> (By National Socialist Press) WASHINGTON, March 3.—Political Washington is today discussing with lively interest and much wonder the action of the house in the Lawr, was

-Not one of you. I'm sure, but is interested in the success of the Socialist daily paper that has been started in Mil-waukee, and that is doing such wonderful work for the cause in helping to hold the first big city in America to fall into the hands of the Socialists. spite of handlcaps there is good news for you all; news of success, of increasing

An eastern clergyman says that "fashlonable churches are the devil's side." And that is about right, I guess posed of. Our Milwaukse comrades took a chance and started before all the should suddenly enter some of the mest tony churches he would be promptly escorted into a back corner or shown the door outright! When a Bocksfeller builds houses of worship and a Ryan received in a substantial to the hold that has been secured, you cannot but be builds houses of worship and a Ryan received in a substantial that has been secured, you cannot but be a majority have consented.

Minnespecilis for Socialism in 1912, Minnespecilis for Socialism in 1914, the United States for Socialism in 1916, the United States for Socialism in 1916, the United States for Socialism in 1918, we will be entire world for Socialism in 1918, we will such is the alogne of the new Minnespect religion to go to smash if the capitalist system is abolitabed.

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Municipal scholarshits have been made are being justified. If you have a little to put out at interest, if your local or your union wishes the city, and while the average man he has everyday faulta, and may come-times lack a little polish, yet he is the latter of the prophesy.

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Minnespecial for Socialism in 1918, we will show the comins true of the prophesy.

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The Milwaukee Leader's net average daily GAIN for February, as shown by a sworn statement just made by Business Manager Bistorius, was 2,444.

On February 1, the number of papers printed was 33,620, and this kept increasing each day until the press run for February 29 was 38,344. Deducting returns from dealers, spoils, etc., THE AVERAGE DAILY CIRCULATION FOR THE MONTH WAS 35,011!

You have seen various big city dailies print their circulation figures, but have not been interested. But you cannot help but be interested in these figures. They concern the movement your life is wrapped up in. This big circulation represents newspapers that are taking the message of Socialism to a wide circle of people. And so you must be as anxious as all of us are to see the bond sale completed and the Milwaukee daily relieved of embarassment during its first few months. The paper has made a fine start and is expanding, do not allow its efforts to be dwarfed and its advance thus made slower. Fill out the blank below on this page and send it in—and do it NOW!

In witness whereof, I have bereunto set my hand and seal this......day of

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The bonds were issued and bear interest from December 1, 1912, and are secured by a first mortgage on the goods, property and chattels of said company, which are particularly described in the mortgage.

A mengrel, "nonpartisan" ticket has been placed in the field in Muscatine. In., not to beat the Socialists Oh, hiese yon, No!—but just because the Republican interests and the Democratic interests now feel that it is wrong in principle for national parties to enter municipal campaigns. Of course our virtuous enemies never discover this newfangled principle until the Socialists get strong, but this, of course, they refuse to admit. Principals, indeed. Old party scalawag.un knows no principle except spoils and keeping working men in their place. In Milwankee also the old parties suddenly discovered the new principle when the Social-Democrats put them out in the cold. Previously the political game was to apportioned that the Republicans usually carried the county offices and the temocrata the city offices. Even contained to not relish the dog-eat-du game that prevails in modern business—unless they happen to have things all their own way. A railraod promotion president in the Bouth has sent out circulars asking legislators and editors to belp to shape public opinion against certain groups Bonds may be paid in full, or they may be paid in monthly installments of \$2.50 for each bond subscribed for. GERMANY — The Social-Demoratic party in the reichstag have appointed comrades Scheidemann, D.

Frank, Ledebour, and Dr. David to speak out the budget. They have further decided to introduce an interpellation urging the government to suspend the bariey and malze used for fodder. Bock and Antrick vill speak on this question. They will slose bring forward a motion to reform the standing orders of the reichstag, and a number of other motions, such as: Responsibility of ministers, alteration of the constitution so that the consent of the reichstag war, motion for the introduction of the proportional system of election, women's suffrage, for elections to take place on Sunday, etc. Motions on social statempt it. He volunteered the remark however, that has was gettered as first proportional and the proportional system of size of the reichstag in the reaction of the constitution in his resignation, and Herr Paasche place on Sunday, etc. Motions on social statempt it. He volunteered the remark however, that has was gettern as Fisher von Hertlieg had dropped out of the ranks of possible candidates as minister president uf Bavaria. Thereupon, urging the government to suspend the presidency and Salpha spolitument as minister president uf Bavaria. Thereupon, and Scheidemann for the opinion that the Santa for the president was the election of Spahn by 196 votes. Heebel politing 175 a month for performing a brakeman's quities. But I didn't tell him so, as I could not prove my suspicions. He siked me if I knew the difference, was my reply. "Two links of sausage from the same bullipup." This is not original, it don't know where I stole it. I informed that brakeman that many men that dido't work at all were getting 175 a day as their share of the rail-work and the proportional system of election, women's suffrage, for elections to take place on Sunday, etc. Motions on social place of the reichstage of the proportional system of election, wo-men's suffrage, for elections to take place on Sunday, etc. Motions on social reform ere being prepared by a committee of 21 members.

The election of the president and vice presidents for the reichstag constituted a matter of some difficulty. Though the Social-Democrata, as the strongest party in the house, have a claim to the presidency, they began by renouncing it in favor of the national liberals, and calming only the office of first vice president. The right wing of the national liberals, however, refused to vote for the Social-Democrata as first the programs of the groups and the Sucialist Labor league of Salonica, have taken steps to draw up a common program, founded on the programs of the groups and the decisions of their congresses. There can president, thos making that arraogoment inpracticable. Then an attempt was made to fill the presidency from the ranks of the Radicais, the right and the National Liberals, leaving the The election of the president and vice and the National Liberals, leaving the Social-Democrats out. But the Rad-leals refused to have anything to do a presidency from which the Social-Den crats were excluded. dai-Den crats were excluded. Nego-tations were then entered into be-bween the party leaders. The center and some of the National Liberals demanded that a Socialist president should be ready to raise the usual "Hoch!" for the kaiser at the end of sessions, and that the other Social-Democrats should be present during sumption and other diseases, among this function, both of which our comrades absolutely refused, though they modern Armenia, Aharonian. He was declared themselves ready to friffill any effect the necessary duties of president.

Meanwhile, the Blue-Black brethren Siberia.

TURKEY .- In the recently dissolved Turkish parliament there were seven Socialists, six being Armeniaus of the Dachnakzutiun and the Hentschak, and one a Bulgarian, Comrade Vlakov

RUSSIA.—A political trial of gigantic dimensions is at present in progress at strick. Negotided. Negotided. Negotided in the beautiful the beautiful the beautiful the beautiful the beautiful the social-revolutionary organization of Armenia. 150 mal Liberals pressure with the dock. 760 mal Liberals are originally arrested, about at president a quarter of substance of the state. persons were originally arrested, about a quarter of whom have been in prison for three yeers in the unhealthy cells of Tiflis. Many have perished, and many others are suffering frum con-

Poor Houses Amidst Planty.

Kansas easily has productive power feed 200 times its population. And found poor houses in the ten counties I found poor houses in the ten counties
I visited, and learned that every county
has the disgraceful evidence of the expioitation of the industries in the shape of public institutions of charity.

of public institutions of charity.

Twentieth Century impiamants Missing.

Nine-tenths of the farm land in Kansas is level and spiendidly adapted for the use of traction piows that will turn over the soil at the rate of 70 acres a day. But on the broad prairies in the vicinity of Garden City, Lyons, Nickerson, Great Bend, Emporie and other fertile farming sections I found farmers plugging along with plows that belong in tee scrap heap on such level country.

Potatoes Come High.

The cost of poletoes in Kansas this winter in the vicinity of Lyons are \$1.25 a bushel. In Topeka the price is higher. Seed potatoes are selling for \$2.25 a bushel. And in North and South Dakota, not so many hundred miles sway the farmers are feeding the finest kind of potatoes to the stock—because "there is no market for them."

Shecks for the Industrous.

There are more homes—a hundred one—in Kansas that are not fit to live in, to those that could be called sanitary places for human habitation. These homes I found in the cities as well as in the country. There was an obsence of bath-tubs in the great majority of the hnmes. And the beth-tub is an institution 6,000 years old, and the farmers and other workers in Kansas have produced billions of dollars more wealth than they received for their industry. Well, they haven't got much of a kick coming for they are getting what they voted for. And the capitelists can stand it as long as they can. fority of the homes. And the both-tub

Produca Things-But-

The roosters lay eggs in Kansas I was told before 1 reached the state. But it lan't so. The roosters not only do not lay eggs in Kansas, but the hens this cold winter laid very few. But this cold winter laid very few. But Kansas produces corn, wheat, elfaifs and other things too numerous to list, and it also produces farms with more larges on them. That is and other things too numerous to use, and it also produces farms with mort-gages on them. That is one thing the Kansas farmer can boast. North Da-kota, Minnesots, and Illinois has nothing on him when it comes to mort-gages. Again we repeat: "That's what Again we repeat: "That's what voted for" and if they don't like they have got to do is to say so next November.

Rooseveit Fermers.

Kansas farmers who are the joudest mouthed admirers of Roosevelt, I learned, were in the majority of cases, estined, were in the majority of cases, either renters or owners of farms heav-ily mortgaged. It is the "progressive" farmers who are shouting for Teddy! And when you ask them what T. R. ever did for them they stutier and ever did for them they stutter and aputter and try to end the discussion by saying that they "are satisfied with their condition in life." And yet some simpleminded people say there is danger of Socialism "coming too soon." Well it can't come too soon for the families of these "successful" Roose-veit farmers.

Salvetion va. Povarty.

At Ottawe, Kan.; I learned that two brothers who were conducting the Men's Religious Forward movement were being paid \$1,200, fur three weeks' "work." And the leading business men of Ottawa had guaranteed to pay the brothers the \$400,00 weekly assessment—or all of that part of the amount which the audience did not contribute in the collection. And I also learned that the nightly collections froot the crowd were so large that the "leading" crowd were so large that the "leading citizens" didn't have to part with a dollar. The people were paying for their salvation with a vengeance while the contributions to care for Ottawa's worthy poor were so silm that many were on the verge of starvation during January and February.

Scabe Vote With Their Mestare. Railroad men employed on the Santa Fe system, along the line in Arizona. New Mexico. Colorado and Kansas, I

for the old party ticket. He bought as copy of "Socialism Made Plain" and as people who buy things endeavor to get their money's worth there is reason to suspect that at least one Kentucky Democrat will know better

Wisconsin

The party has increased its vote in this year, having polled 1,783.

organ, in speaking of the election of Alderman Philips, said: "For the first time in the history of Duluth there has been elected a Socialist alderman, who is a live wire and a public-spirited citizen, and who will doubtless give a good account of himself."

SUPERIOR, Wis., Feb. 29.—Sunday the Superior local of the Social-Demo-cratic party, met at Union Labor hall to observe "woman's day," The meeting was largely attended and As Seen by a Traveling Agitator

By Silas Hood
(Written for The Herald.)

Misself and a largely attended and among thuse present were a few members of the Donglas County Suffrage society, including Miss Florence Two president sof the organization. Miss I was the first speaker end in opening her address said: "We recognize that when we are among the Socialists that when we are among the Socialists. that when we are among the Socialists we are with friends." She spoke of conductors, brakemen, ilremen, and others on the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific. The Santa Fe men are not organized. The Santa Fe is known as a scab line. Draw your own conclusious. There are exceptions of course.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Feb. 28 .-Kantucky Democrats Out Wast.

"Are there any Socialists in the crew on this train?" I asked of a brake
"Are there any Socialists in the constitution and bylaws drawn or a split over what action to take in parlia-

man on one of the passenger trains running on the Santa Fe, between Las Yegos and Albuquerque, N. M.

"Not that I know of," was the reply—"I am a Kentucky Democrat."

"What Is the difference between a Kentucky Democrat and a Kentucky Kepublican" I inquired.

He couldn't answer the query and didn't attempt it. He volunteered the remark however, that he was getting \$175, a month and said he was satisfied. I believe he was a liar for I am of the opinion that the Santa Ke is not maying unorganized workers.

The central county organization were approved and adopted. Delegates from the towns in the county were elected to a central county committee. The central county committee met for the first time Sunday afternoon and organized by the election of the following officers for the year:

Secretary. John Justen. Fond du Lac; county organizer. Charles Hultz, Campbellsport; esecutivo committee, E. C. Damrow, Mrs. J. B. Fellrath, John Justen and J. B. Fellrath, The central county committee will act entirely

The central committee will act entirely along educational lines and in case any important matter should come up it will be necessary to refer it to the party for a referendum vote.

INDIANA.

Still snuther local has been organized at Versailles in Hipley-county which starts with 11 members. This is the first in the first with 12 members. This is the first with 12 members. This is the first with 12 members. This is the first with 12 members with 13 members which will be county offer good prospects for locals. In the county offer good prospects for locals, the county offer good prospects for locals. Local warsaw in Koscilaists there to review the local and it now starts with 16 members decretary Stoner writes. "I have sal still as long as I could stand it waiting or things the county organization and a complete ticket has been omminated for Henry county. This is the first time that a full secialist ticket has been omminated in the county. About 75 party members were present at the convention.

pacty members were present at the convention.

Evidence of the increasina Socialistic sentiment at Jeffersonville is seen in the fact that the local has needed a permanent headquarters that will be open every day.

The state office now has an official seal to be placed on all tharters. Locals desiring to have their charters sealed in red can do so by the control of the control o

PENNSYLVANIA.

From Damocratic Kentucky. Two years ago a law was enacted of the Kentucky state legislature convert-ing the penitentiary of the state into a reformatory. Nothing has been done, however, by the board of prison con. missioners, because the Hoge-Montmissioners, because the Hoge-Mont-gomery company, which holds a con-tract at the institution, refused to allow the necessary changes to be-made. The company proposed to give its consent to the execution of the law if its contracts were extended six years after expiration in 1914. The board of prison commissioners agreed to the proposal, but it was declared illegal by the attorne's general, whereupon the cormissioners calmly announced that the law would not be carried out. The fight is to be continued against this flagrant violation of law.—Labor.

What Every Farmer Ought to Know

The Mortgaged Badger Farmer

By Oscar Ameringer

Brother farmer, I want you to sit down and do some hard figuring. Over one-half of all the farmers of Wisconsin are mortgaged. Your home may still be unincumbered, but since the percentage of mortgaged farms is steadily increasing you may be the next one to put a plaster on your place.

Mortgaged Farms Per Cent of Mortgaged Farms. 42.9 1900 65,589 1910 72,129

According to the foregoing figures the relative number of farms operated by their owners which are mortgaged has increased quite regularly since 1890. From 1890 to 1910 the number increased 21,87 39.6 per cent.

From the above it may be easily seen that as a class you are getting more and more in debt. A mortgage is anything but a sign of prosperity. But walt -the worst is yet to come.

Average Mortgaged Debt per Farm. Per Cent Increase. 1890...\$1,001 1910...\$2,116

So we see that in 20 years the mortgaged farms increased 39.6 per cent, while the mortgaged indebtedness increased 111.8 per cent. Or, to put it differently. In 1890 the farmers of Wisconsin paid interests on a debt of \$55,305,000. In 1910 they paid interest on \$146,-

All this looks bad for the Wisconsin farmers, and the census man not wishing to cast a gloom over the prosperity blessed Badger state, produced another array of figures which show that while the farmers are getting in debt more and more they are becoming richer at the same time.

The wealth of the farmer, we are told, is accumulating in the form of land values. The census states that while the mortgaged indebtedness increased 111.8 per cent, land values increased 105.0 per cent in 20 years. But what the census man fails to prove is, that the increase of land values are a benefit to the farmer.

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let me ask you a few questions. If an acre of land, valued at \$9.58 in 1850, produced 50 bushels of corn, how many hushels will it produce in 1910, when its value has

gone up to \$57.06? If an acre of land worth \$16.61 in 1870 pastured two cows, how many cows will the same acre pasture in 1910 after its value has

reached \$57.06? The result of your meditation and calculation will be that while land values have increased, the productivity of the land has remained almost the same. And if with the same expenditure of labor you can-

not get a bigger erop on a fifty dollar acre then you got on the same acre when it cost only ten dollars, how on earth is the rise of land values benefiting the actual tiller of the soil. Does the farmer draw interest on the value of his land?

When figuring your yearly income do you state:— Value of land...\$10,000 6 per cent interest on same \$ 600 Value of crop...... 800

When you look at it in the right light you will find that land values are a liability instead of an asset to the farmer who farms the farm. Rising land values may increase your taxes, but they don't increase the product of the land.

Tenant, Farming.

The landlord robs the tenant and the tenant robs the soil. The result is an impoverished rural population and an impoverished soil. result is an impoverished rural population and an impoverished soil. Landlordism is a curse, whether we find it in India, Ireland or Wisconsin. It produces miserable farm homes, overworked women and underschooled children. Schools, churches and homes go down in the country, and a non-producing, non-progressing parasite class composed of tired and retired farmers hang around the county seat towns like flies around the bungholes of molasses barrels.

Landlordism is a survival of lordism or feudalism. The landlord is a persent without an extension discountry.

is a parasite without an extenuating circumstance. In the scheme of life he fulfills no useful function. He is to agriculture what the mistletoe is to the tree. The rent money that flows from the farm to the towns is a fearful drain on the actual tillers of the soil. He finds himself short of the capital required for the purchase of the best farm animals and implements. Every improvement made in soil culture or by more scientific management is absorbed by the landlord in ever-

The division of the farming class into landlords and landtillers exploiter and exploited, produces the same effect noticed in the sepa-ration of ownership and labor in modern industrial life. The tenant, as his brother, the wage worker, will retain from the product of his toil only sufficient to keep himself in working condition. The surplus above the existence wage is confiscated by the landlord, even as the

capitalist confiscates the surplus value produced by the wage worker.

Tenantry did not increase at the fearful rate as mortgaged indebtedness did in Wisconsin. But it does increase faster than the new farms out of the jungle have increased.

On the whole it may be said that the higher the land values, the denser the population and the older the settlement the greater is the number of tenants. The greatest percentage of tenants is found in the southern counties of the state. Tenantry gradually disappears as we move north towards the sparcely rettled Jungle. From this it may be deducted that if tenantry rises with age and land values, the northern part of Wisconsin will produce a lusty crop of renters as soon as the land has reached a state of cultivation where it will support two men—landlord and renter. Up to the present time the cheap land of the state has proven the only hindrance to the extention of Landlordism. With the disappearance of free or cheap land, tenantry is bound to grow rapidly in the state. Says the Census man.

Farm Tenure-1880-1910.

The following table shows the status of farm tenure by decades

		Farm	s Operated By	Tenants.		
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	1910	100	152,473		86.1	
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In thirty years the number of tenants doubled in the state. Tenantry increased 102.8 per cent, while the farms operated by their owners only increased 24.8 per cent. The later increase is almost exclusively due to the reclamation of cut over land by the pioneer farmers.

mentary matters since the aweeping crown prince wants a new constitution Socialist victories. The kalser has declared his intention to defy the Socialist opposition and claims that if his plans does not from a love of democracy but for larger army and navy are defeated he will disvolve the reichstag. The cmpress fears a revolution if the kaiser persists in his stubborn resistance. The



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The Wisdom of Marx Still Applies in the Trade Union Field

BY ROBERT HUNTER.

in 187i Keri Merz wrota to Speyer, who weathen prominent in the American working class movement: "You must endeevor to gain that treds unions at all coste." A few deys letar he wrote to enother American Socielist: "Tha international has been founded to set up the real organization of the working cless instead of Socialist and half-Socialist acts."

These two high questions from Merz appears

Socialist and half-Socialist sects."

These two brisf quotations from Marx appear to me to be of the greetast possible significance, if eny working class leader had ever been through hall, Marx was aurely thet one. A few yaers before he had est out to organise the workers. At the vary moment the above words were written the internetionel Workingmen's association was the tarror of all Europe. But while the princes of commerce and the despots of politics were paralyzed by the fear of this new specter, no one knew so well as Marx its utter helplessnass.

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It was being literally torn to places by internel dissansions. However much tha leadars hatad cepitalism, they hatad earh other more. It is not a pleesant experience to see the work of years dastroyed by warring sacts, end Marx was undoubtedly undergoing at the time he wrote to his American friends the sema resulsing towards sectaries Socialism that he had experienced more then once before

actuarien Socialism that he had experienced more then once before.

And es he draw ewey from the bitter dissensions of the warring accts, he turned with in-creesing respect and hope towards the actual orgenized movament of the working class. In 1875, when the verious Garman organizations of workingmen mat together for the purpose of unity, he wrote to Bebei, Liebknacht and others: "Every ection, every positive step forward, is worth more then a dozen programs." He then urges his Garmen comredes, if it is impossible to have edopted a consistent Socielistic program, to meraly join the workers in one organi-

grem, to merely join the workers in one organi-action without e progrem.

In other words, Marx's idea wes clearly and unmistakebly this: Thet the organization of the working class wes the all important thing. He did not withhold his sympathy end eid to the working class because it was not already Socielist. He did not go to the working class with e cartein progrem, announcing that they must accept that program or be damned. He did not say that the workers must organize in a cartein manner. the workers must organize in a cartein manner, or he would withhold his sympathy. In fact, there is not anywhers to be found in Marx's words or ections a single thing to suggest the

there is not anywhere to be found in Marx's words or ections e single thing to suggest the sectarien spirit.

Whet, then, did Marx mean when he wrote to Speyer: "You must endeavor to gein the trede unions et all costa"? Did he mean that unless the trede unions would adopt the Socialist progrem thet Socialista should attempt to destroy them? Did he meen that Socialists should enter the trade union movement merely to make it the side show of a political party? These are questions worth thinking over, end fortunetally Marx himself hes supplied the answer.

In 1869 Marx hed an interview with Hemann, the secretary of the Garman metal workers' trede union. In this interview Mara said: "The trade unions should never be effiliated with or made dependent upon e political society if they ere to fuifill the object for which they ere formed. If THIS HAPPENS IT MEANS THEIR DEATH BIOW."

Now this statement of Marx'e is so absolutely contrery to the view tekan by some of the early Socialists in this country, and by some Socialists oven today, that it may wall cause amasement. And some may even e k: "What in the world is the use of bothering with trede unions unless our purpose is to make them Socialists? Why should we attend union meetings, or bother with the mere daily struggie of the working cless to better its hours end conditions unions our and end eim is to make the trade union a Socialist movement."

Such questions serve merely to prove one thing: That the men who ask them have never

Socialist movement?"

Such questions serve merely to prove one thing: That the men who sak them have never grasped the philosophy of Merxisn Socialism. Here and there a men of the middle-cless mey

be convarted to Socialism through eppeals to his heart and conscience, but the mess of the working-class will be convarted to Socialism by their actual struggle against the capitalist class. By organization they will learn their need of each other. By actual affort to improve their condition they will learn the hard facts of Socialist acciety. By trade union lorganization end by the results of their atruggle will they learn the need of political action.

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"The trada unions," eave Marx, "are the schools for Socialism. The workers are there educated up to Socialism by means of the incessent etruggle against capitalism which is being carried on before their eyes. HE (the trede unionist) BECOMES A SOCIALIST WITHOUT KNOWING IT." I urga the reedsrs to notice one point. Marx does not eav that trade unionists will become Socialists by books, by speeches or by rasolutions, by ettacks on the union, by bitter dissension between Socialists and Anti-Socialists in the union. Not et all. The trede unionist will become a Socialist WITHOUT KNOWING IT, AS A RESULT OF THE-INCES-SANT STRUGGLE AGAINST CAPITALISM.

In the time when Marx was most active in the lebor movement, there were, eave Kautaky, "meny Socialist achools, each swaaring to the genuineness of its own patent pill for the cure of all the ille of society, and each trying to raily the workers around itself. The various schools were at war with one another and were thus instrumental in SPLITTING the working classes rather than in uniting them" * * "It thus assemed to Marx," says Kautaky, "thet to save the treds unione they must held aloof from political organisations."

Surely there is nothing more astounding than the manner in which many of our aerlier com-

Suraly there is nothing more astounding than Suraly there is nothing more astounding than the manner in which many of our aarliar comrades, while cleiming to represent the teaching of Karl Marx, violeted every principle of his faith. For years they sought to use the trede unions for political ends. For years some of them endeavored to apilit the working class into warring sects. For years they went to the workers with the orthodox faith, threetaning that if the workers would not accept that faith without question they would serve upon them a sentence of utter demnation.

Curiously enough, this tolerant and fanctical

question they would serve upon them of uttar demnation.

Curiously enough, this tolerant and fanatical zeal of the early Socialists was limited to the English apeaking countries. And the chief reason for its prevalence in these countries was undoubtedly because in both England and Amarica the serly Socialists found in the field chase of them a powerfully organized working class movement. Naturelly they want first to these organizations to convert them to the new doctrines. But instead of looking upon them es an unconscious end highly satisfectory working out of the Merxien doctrines, they insisted upon their entira reorganization and the adoption of a Socialist progrem. The Socialists declared that their position was the orthodox one and ell others. their entira reorgenization and the adoption of a Socialist progrem. The Socialists declared that their position was the orthodox one and ell othera ware heretica. The impatience and fanaticism of these eerly Socialists was never better described than by Engals, the life-long friand and companion of Marx:

"The S. D. Federation here (England)," says Engals, in 1894, "sheres with your German-Amarican Socialists the distinction of being the only parties who managed to reduce Merx's theories of development to a rigid erthodoxy:

only partias who managed to reduce Merrie theories of development to a rigid erthodoxys 'THAT WORKMEN SHALL NOT PERCEIVE THAT THEORY BY THEIR OWN WORK AND OWN CLASS FEELING, BUT MUST SWALLOW IT AS AN ARTICLE OF FAITH AT ONCE AND WITHOUT ANY DEVELOPMENT.' Therefore, beth remain sects, end, as Hegel says, 'Come from nothing through nothing to nothing.'

And that is asactly what heppened ustil the prasent Socialist party was leunched with its policy of giving ell eld possible to every movement of the workers, regardless of their political or economic faith. That is asactly what heppened until the Socialist party gave up the eld policy of meddling with the internal problems of the unions and set out to achieve its own great work of organizing the working class into one great political movement.

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By PETER KROPOTKIN.

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develop business.

See Mr.



of the store quarry, and started new proceedings to make the appropriation from the street construction fund for the initial payment.

The 15-day vacation for the firemen was re-referred, on account of the propo-

The council instructed the city attorney to bring suit against the Mil-waukee Coke and Gas company for the abatement of the smoke nuisance.

Pass Light Bonds.

authorized to attend the conference

at Washington, D. C., relating to the level of water in the lakes, and the changes made by the continuance of the flow in the Chicago drainage canal.

Ordinances submitting the electric light bonds, and providing for the placing of thermometers in street cars were passed.

A communication from the land com-

mission, proposing the opening of a parked way on Sixteenth street was received. According to law the project must have the approval of the common council before it ran be undertaken

Ordinances were introduced, fixing the dock lines and sidewalk grade of the new river walk, and granting permission to sell produce from boats

and cars without a license. A reso-lution increasing the number of ma-chinists, from four to five mrn at the North Point pumping station, and giv-

ing one day off each week to employes of the pumping station, was introduced.

TAX CASE CONTINUED.

The hearing in the mandamus pro-

The hearing in the mandamis pro-ceedings brought by Assexpors Thomas F. Hayden, William Bannen and George W. Lee against Tax Commissioner Louis A. Arnold, to show cause why they should not be reinstated, was con-tinued until Monday before Judge Tar-rant.

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hy the land commission.

City Engineer J. A. Mesiro J was

sition to include the policement

Milwaukee Aldermen at Work

"I absolutely refuse to go before a committee of five So-

cialists with these impeachment charges."

With these words Alderman Joseph Carney "laid down," renigged, crawfished and turned tail on the impeachment proceedings against the mayor, city clerk and city attorney.

When the special committee appointed to try the impeachment proceedings reported that it had been advised of the illegality of the method of its appointment, and recommended the appointment, and recommended the appointment of such a committee by the council itself, the majority at once approved the recommendation of the committee and reappointed the committee.

10 the discussion preceding the vote, Alderman Carney gave notice that he refused to have anything further to do with the matter before a committee made up entirely of Socialists. He said that in court it was customary to give en opportunity to challenge the jurors; and he demanded that right.

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Alderman Corcoran moved that the names of Alderman Angust Braunn and Fred Bogk be substituted for the names of Alderman Alldridge and Coleman.

of Aldermen Alldridge and Coleman. The motion was lost.
Alderman Welch said, "Alderman Carney has been looking for a hole to crawl out of. First he wanted the city to furnish him an attorney to prosecute its own officials. We changed that, so that there might be an attorney to conduct the case legally. Then he objected to the method of the appointment of the committee, raising a point ment of the committee, raising a point that had never been raised hefore in the bistory of such proceedings. We have compiled with the law indicated. though we were willing to waive all formalities in that matter. And now he raises objections to the membership of the committee. Here we stop. We do not propose to give the "non-parti-

an' minority an opportunity to be-smirch the character of city officials by reading into the records of this council statements which everybody knows to be untrue. 'Alderman Carney has been looking

for a hole to crawl out of. He never intended to make good on these charges. Now he bas found the hole. Let him crawl!" Aid. Welch said that Aid. Carney would be subposaned to appear before the committee.

orangy would be supposed to appear before the committee.

"Why did this committee wait for a quarter of a year before getting around to take up this matter?" demanded Alderman Carney. "It cannot be said that the delay has all been on my side."

Is "On the Job."

Alderman Alidridge replied. "Because the same committee bad charge of the investigation of the charges against Tax Commissioner Schutz. The committee was husy and on the job, and the committee has discovered \$6,000,000 worth of property not on the tax roll in last year that should have been there. The committee is now ready to report. This committee means business. Let Alderman Carney hring his evidence before the committee. to report. This committee is now ready to report. This committee mans business. Let Alderman Carney hring his evidence before the committee in the has any, and he will be given a complete bearing. But he has no evidence. The impeachment proceedings were started as a political move, and were never intended to come to trial."

To the insituation that the Socialist committee would not give a real hearing to the charges, Alderman Mickley replied, "The Socialists are

Milwaukee Life Savers

By CARL SANDBURG. That the most complete and thorough factory inspection

ever put through by a Milwaukee health department has been

carried on during 1911 by Commissioner Kraft and his force, is the belief of many who have carefully studied the record of the past year and compared it with former years.

The year 1911 was the first year there is strong pressure from city or which any attempt was made to state authorities. Ventilating apparatus

there year 1911 was the first year in which any attempt was made to keep a record of what was done in making factories better places to work in. While the figures which Commissioner Kraft has compiled are not as compete as he would like to bave them he says that there is under way a thorough system of records and statistics by which pagress of this kind may be better understood. The figures he presents concerning 1911 are below the actual accomplishment. That is, there has been considerable work done which, because of the fact that no system of records for this purpose was established by previous health administrations, could not be accurately traced.

One of the main problama in all factories is vantilation. The better that air the better the workman. The batter the air the longer-the workman and the workmen's childran live. Bad air means bad health—this is common sense and science as well as sciantific hygains.

Suction systems have been piaced in 55 factories, in accordance with health department orders or suggestions. This means that in these 55 factories much of the bad air is blown ont of the work rooms so that pure air enters.

Install 18 Heods.

This means that in these 55 factories much of the bad sic is blown ont of the work rooms so that pure air enters.

Install 18 Hoods.

Ozone machines have been installed in five far'ories. Hoods for conveying gas, smoke and acid fumes have been placed, I was understood among workmen and was well recognized by physicians that every day a workman stood at his toll une and ten heurs taking into his longs the deadly vapors of authunicated or equally victous and deadly lumes, he was shortening his life innaturally.

The problem of getting air into factories and workshops is one which renevally haffles a health department, while it is an adimitted fact that the feath rate in many workshops could be lowered merely through the furnishing of pure air for the workers, the either admitted fact is that steps are sidom taken by employers unless.

association, having offices in the Al-hambra building, declaring that it must not use his name in connection

This company a short time ago sent a letter to the mayor, informing him that it had pisced 25 shares of stock to his credit, with no obligation on his

part.

The mayor is constantly in receipt of The mayor is constantly in receipt of letters offering him anywhere from 25 shares to a half interest in some concern if he will permit the use of his name for the promotion or pushing of some business proposition.

Frem National Headquarters

LYCEUM LECUTION

ASTERN CIRCUIT.

Janet Penimore, March 2, U. en route: 4.

olitatown, Pa.; 3, Harrisburg; 6, Williamsport;
Oli Citr; 8, Aitoona; 2, Curi-breland, Md.

Walter J. Millard, March 2, Palatka, Fla.;
I. Tampa; 4, en route; 5, Hichmond, Va; 6,
Baltimore, Md.; 7, Washington, D. C.
Bon F. Wilson, March 2, Wilmington, Del.;
Nowark, N. J.; 4, Norfolk, Va.; 6, WinstonSalem, N. C.; 6, en route; 7, Greensboro;
S. John W. Slayfon, March 2, en route; 3,
Syracuse, N. Y.; 2, p. m.; 4, p., m., Auburn; 4,
Schenectady; 5, Paterson, N. J.; 6, Brooklyn,
N. Y.; 7, ea route; 8, New York City,
Lena Morrow Lewis, March 2, Burfain,
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Arthur Brooks Baker, March 2, en roote;

3, Memphis, Ten.; 4, Centralla, ill., 5, en roote; 6, Peru, Ind.; 7, Wabash; 8, Kokumn;

9, East Chicago, Ind.

W. Rarry Spears, March 7, 8t. Louis, Mo.;

8, Flat River; 9, Kirksville.

Frank Bohn, Intermission

Phil. B. Callery, March 2, en roote; 3, Spring-celd, Ill., 4, Decaur; 5, East 8t. Louis, 6, Codinaville; 7, O Faling; 8, Staunton; 9, Gillespie; 9, Staunton; 9, Gillespie; 9, Staunton; 9, Gillespie; 7, O Faling; 9, Staunton; 9, Gillespie; 9, Staunton; 9, Staunto

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au Bernardinu; 5, en route; 6, Yuna, Ariz;
N. A, Richardson, March 2, en route; 3,
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George D, Brewer, March 2, 8tockton, Cal.;
Dos Palos, 2:30 p. m.; 4, Coalinga; 5, Ranord; 6, Viselia; 7, Bakersfield; 8, Fomona; 9,
m route.

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Note.—In order to give the locals sufficient time for preparation, the eastern, central and of Pacific circuits have intermissions. The eastern circuit intermission lasts one week after Ladate at Washington. D. C. The central circuit thou

be an object lesson to you men ing it was ascertained that the and women of Milwaukee—if big hall would not be large they can get you out into the enough, and arrangements atreet they have got you; but were made for an overflow if you get into office you've got meeting in the smaller hall.

them.

"You can easily get things in a peaceful way by asserting your power at the ballot box.

I plead with you to use your

The mayor spoke briefly, but to the Intelligence rather than your muscular power, your reason rather than your might."

These words, by Mayor Emil Seidel before a mass meating.

tests II days after its date in Pasadema, Cal, carept for a meeting in San Diego, Cal, Sunday, February 25.

The national office has assigned an organized to each of the two remaining unorganized to each of the two remaining unorganized states—0. F. Branstetter to South Carolina, and E. J. Squier to Delaware.

The Scandinavian section of the Delaware party has decided to send Comrade Frithfor Woronskijold on an organizing mur throughout the eastern states. Comrade Werenskijold was formerly an active Socialist agitator in Nurway, the eastern he was supelled on accounty and speaks in both the English and Scandinavian delaware in lenguages. Comrades in localities in the eastern states where there is a chance to organize Scandinavian branches of the Socialist party are urrently requested to communicate with the Nandinavian national translator-secretary, N. Just Christensen, 2517 Kmv etrest. Chicagu.

PROPOSED NATIONAL PARTY REFER-ENDUM.

Local Meridies. Washington.

Troposed afmendment to the natural constitution, to be added to and become a part of Article II. Section 6:

Any member of the party who advocates illegal methods of violence as a means of working these emandpaths, a copy when such may be justified in defense of our acquired methods of the party.

NATIONAL ORGANIZERS AND LEC-

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NEW HAVEN, Conn., March 1.—The state accutive committee of the Socialist party of connecticut will smeet in the state office, [08 brangs street, Few Haven, on Sundar, March , at 10 o'Cock a, m. Among the matters to come up for consideration are preparation of safets and selection of a list of writers for matters to make a selection of a list of writers for

Milwaukee Socialists in Great Campaign Meeting

"We have been trying to use ment of the "Milwaukee way." the government of Milwaukee It was the greatest openin the government of Milwaukee to help the people, to make them feel it is their government. Lawrence, Mass., should Milwaukee. Early in the even-

These words, by Mayor Emil Seldel before a mass meeting of nearly 4,000 persons at the Kosciusko hall, First avenue, between Mitchell and Lapham streets, Tuesday night, brought thunderous applause from the audience and a hearty endorsement of the continued throughout the affairs of the city we did not find everything running smoothly. Every old politician was planning avery way the could to block us. This was continued throughout the entire administration. There were also many things intention. There were also many things readen. tration. There were also many things we had to pay'the penalty for, mistakes of former administrations which fell on our shoulders.

"The water situation should have been card for structure or This water structure."

been cared for six years ago. This we had to take up immediately. We found a deficit of \$100,000. You are wondering why the appropriations were \$700,000 higher. We did not shirk anything. We tried to meet everything as it presented itself.

"We introduced a standardization."

We introduced a standardization methods. We consoldated the fire "We introduced a standardization of methods. We consoldated the fire and police alarm systems and are now adding a municipal telephone system to it. We are displacing the old wooden police alarm boxes, for which the city paid \$300 each, with small metallic combination boxes in which are located the fire and police. one as well as the other. They would exact their price from all. It is between the workingman and the interests. The interests are not ready to let Milwaukee remain in the bands of the workingman. The workingman have given you an efficient government, the best Milwaukee aver had. smail metaline commination boses in which are located the fire and police alarms and the city telephones. This means the beginning of a city telephone system. The plan is already being opposed by the Wisconsin Telephone

opposed by the Wisconsin Telephone company.

Pien Fire Pravention.

"We consolidated the drainage and sewage inspection departments and the prepared a system of sanitary and efficiency is now preparing a system of single properties. Our object is to use every department at the service of the city to the best of its ability.

"The board of economy and efficiency is a new departure in Milwauke. It is far in advance of anything ever ettampted in any other city. It is now engaged in a social survey, as well as putting all the departments of city government on an efficient hasis. If this had been done by any other administration it would have been heralded all eyes.

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Oscar Ameringer of Okiahoma touched on the Lawrence they have a "non-partisan" ticket. The Massachusetts they have a "room-partisan" ticket. On one side in this Milwauke. Campaign is the Merchants and Manufacturers' association and on the city et al. "The board of aconomy and efficiency is a new departure in Milwauke. It is far in advance of anything ever ettampted in any other city. It is now engaged in a social survey, as well as putting all the departments of city government on an efficient hasis. If this had been done by any other administration it would have been heralded all eyes. leaflets and selection of a list of writers for campaign articles and considering ways and means to broadea the field for work in uncranized territory.

It was annothed today that the debate between Judge Virnice Munger of Ansoniagua Seculiate originated it and pushed locage Spiess Jr., of Bristol, has been Poist of the exitatorice, because the Special to synday, March 24, at 2.30 p. m. That is the place power week sooner. cialists are accomplishing things with it you cannot find a single word about it in any paper in Mil-

and myself. It is not between the "non-partisans" and the Socialists. The trusts, Big Business, would bleed

Washington

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a congressional investigation. That evident, if you note the conduct of the Massachusetts delegation in congress. Not one of them has dared to utter a word on the Lawrence situation. These representatives and senators say that the strike is "loaded."

Berger on Committee.

Should the house be forced by an aroused public opinion to adopt Berger's resolution, the Sorialist congressman would undouhtedly be appointed or elected on the proposed special sommittee. It is unnecessary to point out the advantages of an investigation under such circumstances.

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A congressional investigation is now e possibility. The first hattle has been won. The rules committee will hold hearings. But the cext battle will be harder. The committee must be forced to report this resolution to the house, to report this resolution to the house.

harder. The committee must be ferced to report this resolution to the house. This can be done by a campaign of letters and resolutions to members of the committee.

Every Socialist, every unionist, every lover of Lberty and humaoity should take a little time and write a letter to every member of the rules committee, urging him to vote for an immediate favorable report by his committee of Berger's resolution to investigate the Lawrence strike.

awrence strike.

Here is a list of the members of the rules committee:

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Years ago it was claimed that a boy in Philadelphia when that metropolis was still little more than a hig village, issued a literary journal that had a large circulation. He was regarded as a youthful wonder and the people justly took pride in him and his unusual enterprise. That was the way the story went. But nowhere was

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there any tangible evidence to support the story so in time it began to be doubted and was set down as a myth. No such boy as young Condle

But recently the substantiation for the story.

so long sought, was unexpectedly secured. Ea-Gov. Pennypacker, the man, by the way, who was governor during a time when the state of Pennsylvania was the most corrupt, had a very large private library, containing many rare and old volumes, and when the library was finally sold at auction, lo and behold! there on the shelves stood several bound volumes of the literary journal that the youthful Condie had published almost a century before! Myth it was no longer; there before the heholders were tha numbers of the actual paper, all bound and in order. One of the huyers present was James M. Beck, one of the leading corporation attorneys of the country, and he made it his hadness to Beck, one of the leading corporation attorneys of the country, and he made it his business to secure the volumes. What he paid for them wade not know, but he doubtless distanced all hidders, for it happens that when Beck was a young man, he himself published a little boys' paper. It may be well guessed that Mr. Beck looked his purchase through with wrapt interest, fur doubtless the juvenile portfolio was about the first paper published hy a boy in the history of this country. The first issue was dated October 17, 1812, practically 100 years ago!

We give herewith a photographic reduction, hy the engraving process, of the first page of Condie's paper. Our boy readers without a doubt will find it interesting. It is a little old-fashioned in style, but you will observe, that even though it is 100 years old it follows the modern methods of spelling and typography—no f's for s's, for instance, as was usual in the

-no f's for s's, for instance, as was usual in the Revolutionary days.

A Two-Sided Story

In an eastern village some years ago, a party of lads, all members of the same school, get np a sleigh-ride party. Six grey borses drew the sleigh.

Next day the teacher of the boys, noting their enthusiasm over their ride, asked one of the boys to tell him about the fun they had had. the boys to tell him about the fun they hid had. The boy compiled, and when he had apparently finished he added. "Oh, there was one little incident that I almost forgot. As we were on the way home we saw in advance a queer looking vehicle that was taking up the whole of the road. It was a rusty old sleigh, fastened behind a covered wagon, and going at a snail's pace." "Finding the owner not disposed to give us any of the road, we decided to give the queer affair a good volley of anyw halls with as loude shouting af we could give. As a result the cray.

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GENERAL DEMANDS.

Berger Shows the Shame of Lawrence

nilis of Lawrence are striking against brutal toward the women and children. extremely low wages and inhuman conditions. While the worsted industry is one of the most highly protected of all that they were going to ahanden their our industries, the wages paid according to the statements given out in that

"The reports that the Socialists failed of election at Los Angeles because the women did not stand by the fact that the 'Socialist vote was 21,000 at the progressive movement the progressive movement to the statements given that the 'Socialist vote was 21,000 at the progressive movement to the statements given that the 'Socialist vote was 21,000 at the progressive movement to familiarly the men alone vuted, and that five weeks later, the vote including that of the women, passed the S2,000 mark," said Mila Tupper Maynual and five-year statement is received and read with much luterest, left in congratities yourself and associates on the splendid showing you are collected and read with much luterest, left in congratities yourself and associates on the splendid showing you women to familiarize themselves.

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2. The statements gives that to an average of less than 45 per week.

3. It is true that a 2500d many of the workers—in fact, a majority—are workers—in fact, a majority—a whir io Milwaukee inst week.

1 believe it to be very important for women to familiarize themselves with the question of government, so that they may be ready to take up intelligently the duties which will not doubt, be conferred upon them in Wisconsin this fail when they become voters. I believe that it is very important for the Socialists to take the lead in the campaign for the enfranchisement of women, in order that they be convinced in practical fashion that in g, was formerly a special agent of the capitalistic profit system seem to do not amount to more than what the husband alone earned before women and child labor was introduced in this lodustry. Yet the evil of woman and child labor, is continuously on the lucrease, because competition and the capitalistic profit system seem to require it.

The average wago of the 25,000 operatives in Lawrence, Mass., was less than \$6 per week. Lately a law was put into operation establishing of Massachusetts, Mr. Foss, is a Democrat.

ifrom the Congressional Record.

Mr. Shurley. Mr. Chairman, I yield five minutes to my friend from Wisconsin (Mr. Herger).

Mr. Berger. Mr. Chairman and to win the strikers would thereby be in a position of the House to one of the most outrageous invasions of constitutional rights that has ever occurred in this country.

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The wage carners of the worsted and women and were particularly mills of Lawrence are striking against

bours. The manefacturers immediately cut the wages of the operatives 50 cents per week.

This reduction meant a great deal to the poor wageworkers. It meant to the poor wageworkers. It meant to the poor wageworkers. It meant to the complete of the methods employed by the this complete on rules to which this

Women Again Targats for Palice Clubs-Lawrence Mill Strikers Forced in Re-treet Soram Blocks Under Rain of Blows-Young Girls Arc Beatan by Farce-Shooting Allray in Early Mora-ing Preceded Rieding in Main Street of City.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Pehruary 26. - Forme and young girls were beats

by bruie force.
The women were beaten about the hips ambreasts as much as was possible. As the polic charged them they could plainly be heard by yell. "Get the men anywhere you can hit cm. His the women on the hips and arms. We don't want to break any women's heads."

A woman would be seen to shoot from tiground and run toward a side atreet. Instant two or three policeman would be after he live or three policeman would be after he Usrailly in such cases a night stick, wall aimse brought the woman to the grounding, bealing and pulling at her in as many different ways there were policemen making the arrest. This clarge into the crowd and then a retre to the next corner and them another char and refreat was carried on for seven bloc along Essex street. During the entire time it.

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By CARL D. THOMPSON.
The Milwankee comrade's are puting up the fight of their lives. The old are doing their ulmost to wrest the city from the Social-Democratic control.

It is quile likely that there never has been such a municipal campaign in American Such a municipal campaign in American Such as the machine in the first of March, and will be a verticible either of the such as the machine in the first of March, and will be a verticible the such as municipal campaign.

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the field. Every inch and every point will be contested, stubbornly and ferceity.

Among other big things the SocialDemocrats are preparing a municipal campaign book. This book is to contain the records of the administration.

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the latter's assassionation by Sounoff, adopted son, they were practically hounded from the country by trumped approximate traveling with him. All the prostitute traveling with him. All the foul hyporites in New York suddenly turned their virtuous backs, receptions were called off, and the hotels, in response to the clamor of the whitean away. This was America's reception of sone of the greatest literary meo of the town, turned them away. This was America's reception of loos of the greatest literary meo of the sending to a New York which even extended to govern-literary meo of the greatest literary meo of the sending to a New York with such age:

Now it develops that the attacks on Gorky, which even extended to govern-literary meo of the sending to a New York and there followed the explosion. The story i had prepared in flowed take, not by a literary meo of the greatest literary meo of the sending to a New York which even extended to govern-literary meo of the sending to a New York with such large proposent a large number of literary people, many reporters, spy. "There were present a large number of literary people, many reporters, and last, but not least, several sples. The latter were not lide. Furthermore, it have reason to suppose that other Russian ageds in Europe land arranged for the sending to a New York who discredit him."

The story is large. The latter were not lide. Furthermore, it have reason to suppose that other Russian ageds in Europe line and last, but not least, several sples. The latter were not lide. Further

OUR YOUNG FOLKS

old wagon turned into the deeper snow and the old boneyard of a horse started up as if he still was alive. We could thus get past, and as we passed someone hit the horse a good crask with the whip, and then a lot of snow it alls were thrown into the front of the shebang and we rushed

"I guess we put new life into the old fellow "I guess we put new life into the old fellow who was driving, siso, for he tawled out. 'Why do you frighten my horse" and we could hardly see his face under an old hat he wore. Our driver cried out. 'Why don't you turn out then." and we gave some more yells that started his old hurse on a gallop and the last we saw of it the horse was just about to run into a loaded wagon. There must have been nearly an upset?"

especi, and it was a few moracuts before he spoke.

"Well boys" he said. "Take your scals, and and I will tell also about a sleighride party—that also happened last night. Yesterday a very old man was on lds way from 8—to this lown to pass the rest of the wioter with his son. That he might be ready for a journey back in the spring he took with him his wagon, instead of leaving it at his meager little country home

His sight and hearing have been somewhat blunted by his age, and he had fo proceed very slowly, for the horse was old and freble, like his owner. His thoughts, doubless, were upon the scenes of his youth, for he lived here then, and probably he was quite lost in his thoughts—when he was suddenly disturbed and even terribed by loud shouts from behind, and a furious within a proceeding of another than the second of the s

when he was studenly distributed and a furinus held by loud shouts from behind, and a furinus helding and clattering of snowballs of snow and he on the top of his wagon. In his trepedition he dropped the relins and his feeble hands were so benumbed that he could not regain them, and the horse began to run away."

"In the midst of the old man's trouble, there rushed by him, with loud shoots a large party of boys he a sleigh, drawn by six horses. "Furn out, turn out, old fellow!"—"Give us the road, can't you."—"What'll you take for the old bag of bones."—"Go it, frozen nose; what's the prize of oats."—were the various gries that reached his ent."

the prine at oats."—were the various cries that reached his ear."

"Pray, do not frighten my horse," be said.

"Turn out, then; turn out!" was the answer, and it was followed with showers of snowhalls, some of which struck him. With several cuts at his horse by the long whip of the sleigh driver, the party of boys rushed pust and into the distance, but the terror of the old man and the horse had been increased, and the latter ran away, to the danger of his life. He findly 'regalmed the reins and stopped the horse 'ast in time to prevent-being dashed into a loaded team."

"A short distance brought him to his journey's

'A short distance brought him to his journey's end, the home of his son. The old horse was comfortably housed and he himself given the comforts of the warm home. And boys, that son was your instructor, and that 'old fellow' and was your instructor, and that 'old fellow' and old flooren nose who would have gladly given you all of the road if he had heard your approach was your master's father!"

The hops hung their heads and felt sheepish enough. For a more in they sat almost stunned and speechless with remorse. Then, one by one they approached the tencher with humble apploades. All were freely pardoned, but all

felt that they had learned a valuable lesson, and this in future they would be civil to in-offensive travelers and more respectful to the aged aid infirm. offensive traveler aged and infirm.

Our Friend the Fly

A fir is almost continuously feeding, gorging itself us whatever it can find to drink. Diges-tion is rapid and weak and the most virulent pass through it nomitted. gurgitates, vomits up, quantities of the liquids it has swallowed. It fills its stomach from the it has sivallowed. It fills its stomach from the curpidot, then finding a pince of pic, first vomits the spujum onto the pic and then fills up again from the latter. No one who will take a magnifying glass and watch a fly feed and vomit and speck for an hour eap withingly eat food on which single fly has been seen to alight. There can be no more talk about people being "fussy," about, "never mind a few fles," when we have clear ideas on these points.

> Puzzles ILLUSTRATED REBUS No. 2



Answer to last week's picture puzzle: 1. Chill. 2. Range., 3. Shaw-L. 4. Foote, 5. Palne (panel. 6. Rapps (wraps). 7. Hot Air. 8. Hands. 9. Storm. 10. Coal-D. 11.

Answer to "Guessing Story" Matches. .. thought of.

Answer to commundrums:
1. One is an old air and the other a fresh one. 2. Cork.

. The answers to the illustrated rebus of two The answers to the intustrated reons of two weeks ago came in very well, but each one fell down in one part or another. Try again, boys and girls. A Worthington, Minn., reader got the hard part and missed on the part that was easy to most of the others. This week we give you another.

"We Do the Work."

A bright little Medford lad heard his parents talking about the salaries of teachers. "I don't see why they' should pay the teachers." he said, very seriously, "when we children do all the work."—Boston Journal.



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What We Can Destroy [Socialism for Students]

Wholly aside from the unjust dis-tribution of the products of labor, capitalist production is incapable of providing all members of society with the things requisite to an existence worthy of mankind and must be displaced by a higher form of production which fulfills these conditions. And this is possible only through communistic, social production, and the Socialist organization of labor which turns the concentrated capital of the community

to the advantage of society.

It is an error which arises from the confusing of society with the privileged minority, that is with the ruling classes. that we are charged with the ruling classes, that we are charged with the intention of overthrowing all existing things and proceeding tabula rasa to erect a fantastic structure upon the rulins. We only wish to rmove whatever hinders the zound, intelligent davsiopment of society and to bring about a con-dition in which the interests of the would establish the rights and interests of all and justice as the highest law of state and society. Whatever has out-lived itself and no longer satisfies the cease to withhold air and sun from the struggling new life. We will make possible the organic evolution of our culture that is prevented by the present class 'rule.-Liehknecht.

sponses to the town, turned them away. This was America's reception of started. Among other functions they done of the greatest literary mee of the age!

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